

AMENDED IN ASSEMBLY JUNE 28, 2005

AMENDED IN SENATE MAY 27, 2005

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AMENDED IN SENATE APRIL 11, 2005

**SENATE BILL**

**No. 874**

**Introduced by Senator Romero**

February 22, 2005

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An act to add Section 10295.7 to the Public Contract Code, relating to contracts.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SB 874, as amended, Romero. Public contracts.

Existing law authorizes the Department of General Services to contract with suppliers to acquire goods and services for state agencies.

This bill would prohibit a state agency from entering into a contract for the acquisition of goods or services with a contractor, as defined, who does not have and adhere to a written policy annually providing his or her full-time employees, *as defined*, with not less than 5 days of regular pay for actual jury service.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: yes. State-mandated local program: no.

*The people of the State of California do enact as follows:*

1 SECTION 1. Section 10295.7 is added to the Public Contract  
2 Code, to read:

1 10295.7. (a) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, no  
2 state agency may enter into any contract for the acquisition of  
3 goods or services with a contractor who does not have and adhere  
4 to a written policy providing the contractor's full-time employees  
5 with not less than five days of regular pay, on an annual basis, for  
6 actual jury service.

7 (b) For purposes of this section, "contractor" means an  
8 individual or business employing more than ~~50~~ 100 full-time  
9 employees.

10 (c) For purposes of this section, "full-time employees" means  
11 those individuals who are employed for each working day in any  
12 20 consecutive calendar weeks in the current calendar year or  
13 preceding calendar year.